

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 3627

PATENT APPLICATION
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Responsive to the Final Office Action, dated October 27, 2006 and the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review dated May 22, 2007, for which a five-month extension of time is requested, please amend the application as follows.

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION begin on page 2 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 6 of this paper.